

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Tuesday 25 Aug 2020 until 23:59 on Wednesday 26 Aug 2020

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 25 Aug 2020 at 03:13

Confidence: High for wet weather on Tuesday, but low for extent of any drier interludes. High for changeable conditions for the rest of the week.

Headline for Tuesday 25 Aug 2020: Wet and windy

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 25 Aug 2020

Blizzards

No Likelihood

Gales

Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms

Low Likelihood

Heavy Snow

No Likelihood

Severe chill effect

No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain

High Likelihood

Storm force winds

No Likelihood

Poor visibility

High Likelihood

Strong sunlight

No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
					
Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Light rain	Heavy Rain
Precipitation probability					
>95%	>95%	80%	60%	40%	60%

Forecast for Tuesday 25 Aug 2020

Weather: Overcast throughout the day. Widespread persistent and heavy rain is expected until the end of the morning. Rain will become more showery in the afternoon and evening with some drier interludes expected, but still the chance of some heavier downpours.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: Extensive cloud between 400 and 600 metres throughout the day, and 250 metres on southeastern upslopes in the morning.

Visibility: Rather hazy at best, and rather poor in heavy rain or drizzle.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)				Wind Direction (blowing from)		
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	48/66 E	28/39 S	20/29 SW	17/24 W	36/51 NW	39/56 NW	38/53 NW
300	25/45 E	14/25 S	12/20 SW	10/17 W	22/39 NW	25/43 NW	24/42 NW
Valley	22/44 E	11/23 S	10/19 SW	9/18 W	20/38 NW	21/40 NW	21/39 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	11/5	13/9	13/9	13/10	11/6	10/5	9/4
300	13/8	14/12	14/13	15/14	13/9	12/8	11/7
Valley	14/10	15/14	16/14	16/15	14/10	13/9	12/9
Freezing Level*	3400m	3100m	3000m	3000m	3000m	2900m	2700m

*Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.

Meteorologist's View

Be prepared for drenching conditions in heavy rain and strong winds in the morning. Winds will ease by afternoon before northwesterly gales set in by evening.

Forecast for Wednesday 26 Aug 2020

Weather: Low cloud and overnight rain soon clearing away eastwards in the morning. Otherwise much of the day will be dry with some sunny periods, perhaps a brief afternoon shower.

Maximum wind: Northwesterly 15 mph

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: Some patchy cloud around 650 metres at first, this soon clearing. Otherwise cloud will be above summits.

Visibility: Generally very good with good air clarity.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 9 rising to 18 Celsius
 At 700m: Plus 7 rising to 11 Celsius
 Freezing level: Above summits